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In re Applic. of Barry K. Elliott

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AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

This amendment is a response to the final Office Action mailed January 26, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the specification and claims as follows: